

PENSIONS TO WIDOWS OF REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIERS
AND OFFICERS.

RESOLUTION

OF THE

LEGISLATURE OF VERMONT,

RELATIVE

To pensions to widows of officers and soldiers of the revolutionary war.

FEBRUARY 5, 1844.

Read, and referred to the Committee on Revolutionary Pensions.

STATE OF VERMONT.

JOINT RESOLUTION relative to pensions to widows of revolutionary officers and soldiers.

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives, That our Senators in Congress be instructed, and our Representatives be requested, to use their exertions to procure the passage of an act, extending the privilege of the law granting pensions to the widows of revolutionary officers and soldiers, and to all such as now are, or may hereafter become, the widows of such officers or soldiers, whose marriage took place prior to the year 1800, during the natural life of such widows; and that the Governor communicate a copy of this resolution to the President of the United States, and to each of our Senators and Representatives in Congress.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, *October 17, 1843.*
Read and passed.

F. F. MERRILL, *Clerk.*

IN SENATE, *October 17, 1843.*
Read, and passed in concurrence.

DE WITT C. CLARKE, *Secretary.*

A true copy.

Attest: J. M'M. SHAFTER, *Secretary of State.*

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Montpelier, November 6, 1843.

SIR: In compliance with a resolution of the General Assembly of this State, I herewith transmit to you the accompanying resolution, passed at its last session.

I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant,

JOHN MATTOCKS.

By the Governor:

HENRY HALE, *Secretary*.

Hon. JACOB COLLAMER,

House of Reps. Washington, D. C.